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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

: Examiner: Unassigned

WITOLD NETER, ET AL.

: Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Application No.: 09/996,991

: Filed: November 30, 2001

: For: POST-MOLD COOLING

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Initially, please charge the Attorney Docket Number to "213202.00137".

Prior to substantive examination, please amend the application as follows:

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August 26, 2002

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add Claims 167-175, as follows:

167. Apparatus for cooling a molded article made in an injection mold formed from mold halves, the molded article